

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Ralf HIMMELREICH, et al. : Confirmation Number: 5339
Application No.: 10/567,351 : Group Art Unit: 1623
Filed: October 04, 2007 : Examiner: Lawrence E. Crane
For: METHOD FOR FACILITATING AN AUTOMATED ISOLATION OF A
BIOPOLYMER USING MAGNETIC PARTICLES

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2011. Accordingly, this response is due on or before August 23, 2011, together with a petition for a three month extension of time.

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